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|Attorney's Docket Number TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES 040894-7476 DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) U.S. Application No CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 371 Unassigned International Application. No. | International Filing Date Priority Date Claimed PCT/JP2005/001303 January 25, 2005 January 29, 2004 Title of Invention: PAPER SHEET TREATING DEVICE Applicant For EO/EO/US: Takao HASEGAWA Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information: This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. § 371. 1. 2. This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. § 371. 3. This express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. § 371(f)) at any time rather than delay examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 U.S.C. § 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(l). A proper Demand for International Preliminary Examination was made by the 19th 4. month from the earliest claimed priority date. 5. A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(2)) is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). b. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US). 6. \boxtimes A copy of the International Application as filed has been transmitted by the International Bureau. 7. A translation of the International Application into English (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(2)). 8. Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(3)). a. are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). have been transmitted by the International Bureau. b. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such ¢. amendments has NOT expired. have not been made and will not be made. d. 9. П A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 10. An oath or declaration of the inventors (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(4)). 11. A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(5)). Items 12. to 15. below concern other document(s) or information included: 12. 図図 An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97 and § 1.98. 13. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 3.28 and § 3.31 is included. 14. A FIRST preliminary amendment. A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment. 15. Other items or information: PCT/RO/101 PCT/ISA/237 PCT/IB/301 PCT/RO/105 PCT/ISA/210 PCT/IB/304 PCT/ISA/220 PCT/IB/308

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16. The following fees are submitted:					
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TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS			\$ 900.00		
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this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including					
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